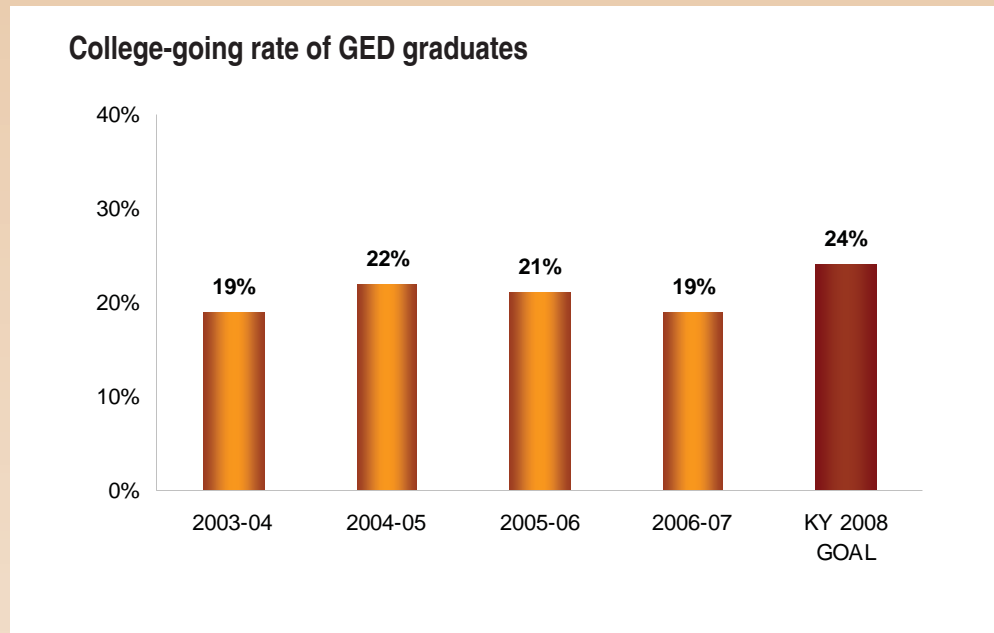


College-going rate of GED graduates

Current: 19%

Goal: 24%



Source: CPE Comprehensive Database and Kentucky Adult Education

Rationale for goal

Kentucky Adult Education will strive to reach a goal of 24% by 2008. A new framework for adult education was implemented in 2006-07 that emphasizes quality student outcomes over enrollment and provides more flexibility in the delivery of instructional services. A new student performance funding formula will provide local programs with opportunities to earn financial rewards for transitioning GED graduates to college.

About this measure

This indicator focuses attention on an important yet often overlooked population of potential college students—recent GED graduates. The GED college-going rate reflects the percentage of Kentucky's GED graduates who have enrolled in a Kentucky postsecondary institution within two years of receiving the credential.